

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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I believe that, I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: NOVEL HYDROTALCITES, SYNTHESES AND USES (II) the specification of which:

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was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorneys jointly and each of them severally, with full power of substitution, delegation, and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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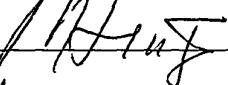
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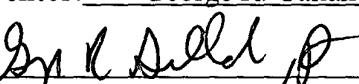
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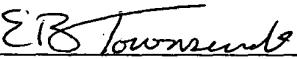
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